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THE HOLY TRINITY



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INTRODUCTION

I **FIRST** published my website, DoorJam Creations, on October 1, 2016 to showcase my graphic design portfolio. As I was developing the website, I figured I could add other stuff to it, seeing as it was my website and I could do whatever I wanted. Taking a page from Platypus Comix, which I visit often, I decided to publish some webcomics on the site. I've always had this secret passion and ambition for storytelling for a long while, at least ever since I was a kid.

During the time I was developing the website, I was also creating ideas for webcomic series and issues. A few ideas I developed were pre-existing concepts I've had for a while (since at least my teens) and others I thought of a few years prior. One series I developed for the site was *Americus Video*, which would basically serve as the site's variety series, where gags and silly stuff would be the primary focus and feature little-to-no characterization or plotlines.

The name came from the British TV channel, Anglia Television, after seeing a YouTube video showing their "A" logo. The series' logo design was partly inspired by Blockbuster and the general designs of video stores from around the late '80s and early '90s, often referencing the Art Deco movement, which seems to be synonymous with the Classic/Golden Age of Hollywood.

Feeling my new site would be very bare in regards to webcomics if I just published one, I decided to create not just one or two, but **three** debut issues of *Americus Video*. I wrote, illustrated, and colored all three during the autumn and winter of 2016, shortly after launching the site. All three completed issues were released online January 17, 2017. While I was initially proud of the three comics being released at the time, nowadays my opinions have changed.


I don't think they're particularly awful, but I don't think they're that great either, particularly in the art section (especially in the first issue). Additionally, these three issues are my first ever webcomics, so these issues, the "Holy Trinity" as I call them, have personal attachment to me. So, I've decided to release them in book form to test the waters for possible future books. But for now, enjoy these hideously primitive comics I made when I was a senile, elderly fool, just on the cusp of 25 years old and having been a college graduate for a year.

Keep your eyes open for additional, fuller books with much better and improved content! For now though, courage as you enter the old and antiquated.

Thank you very much and enjoy.

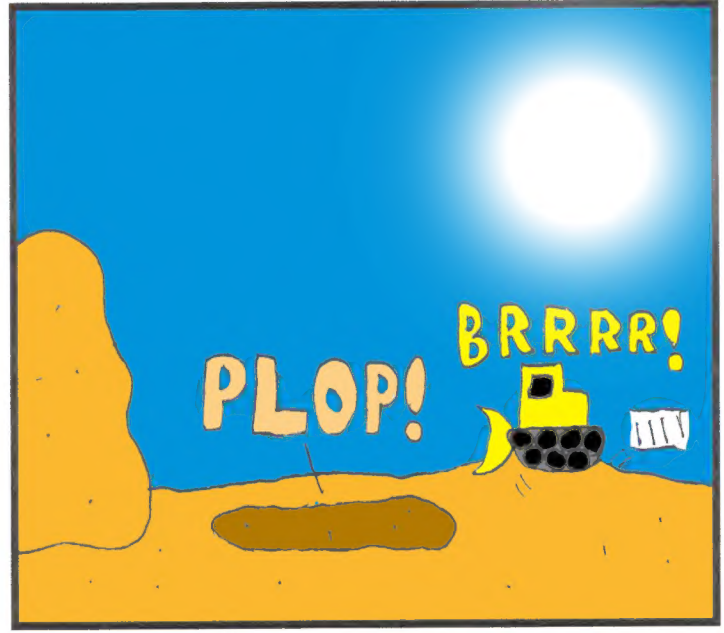
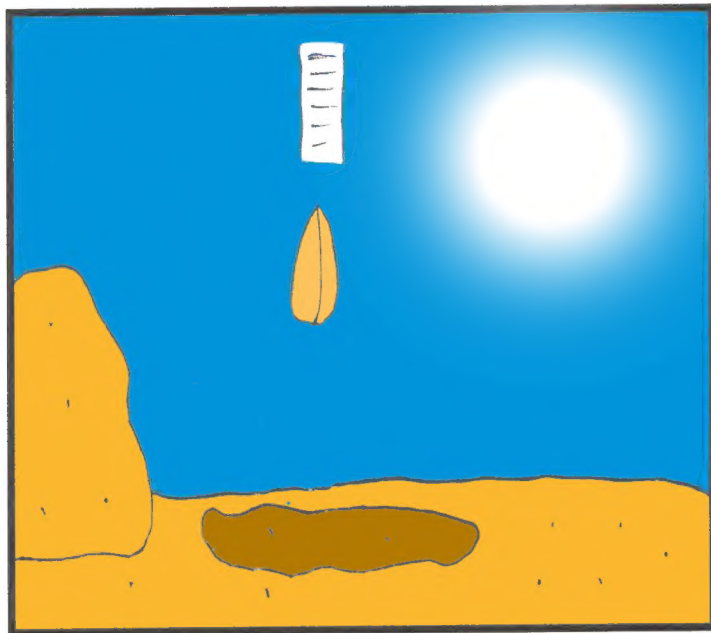
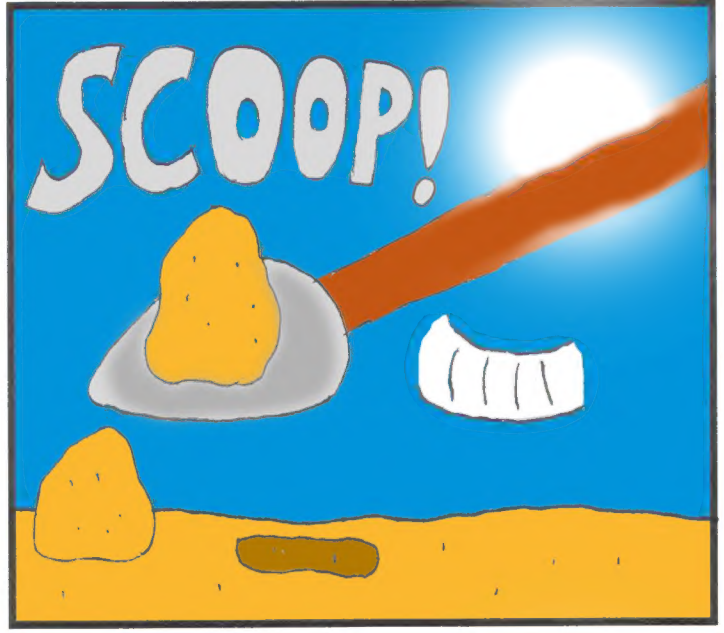
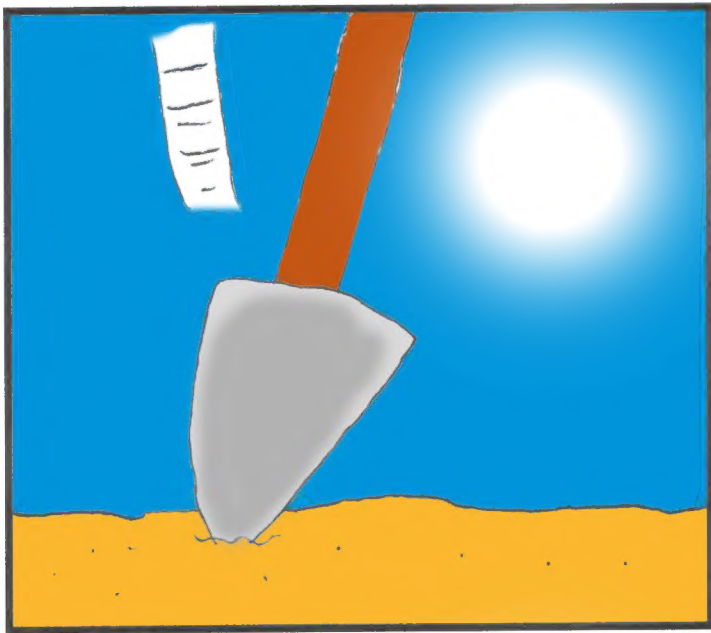
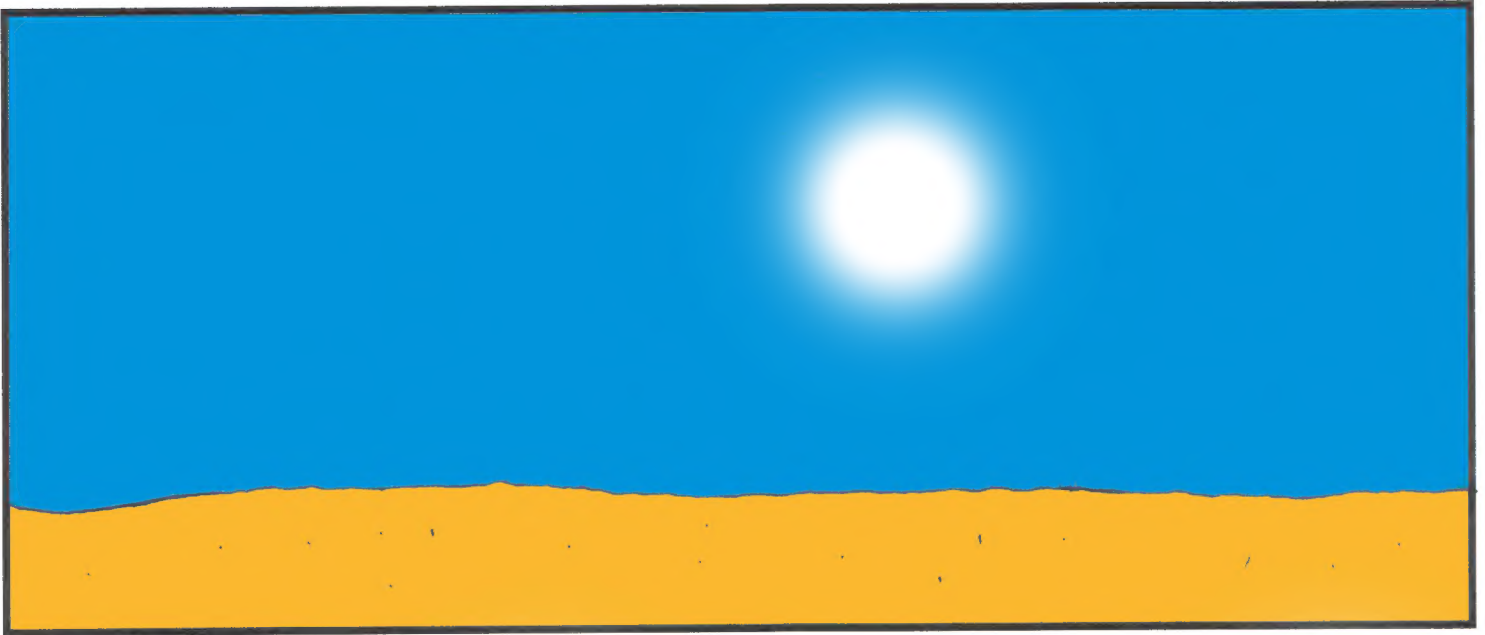
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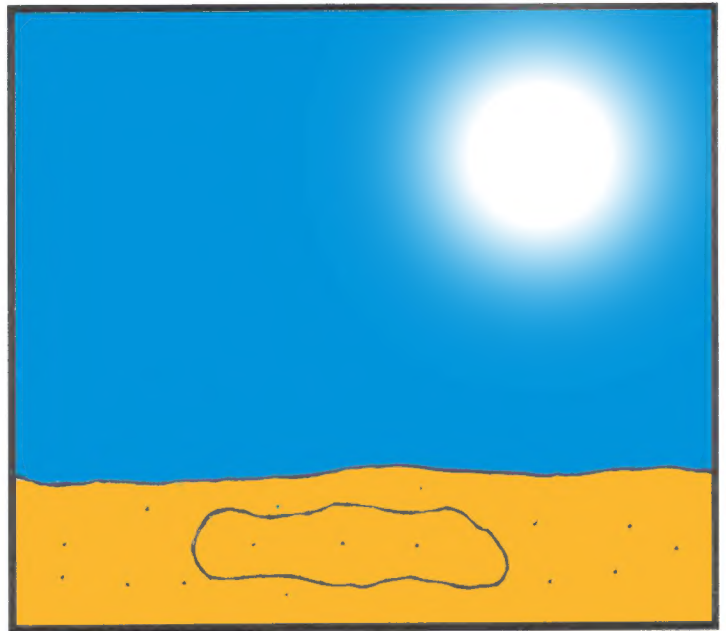
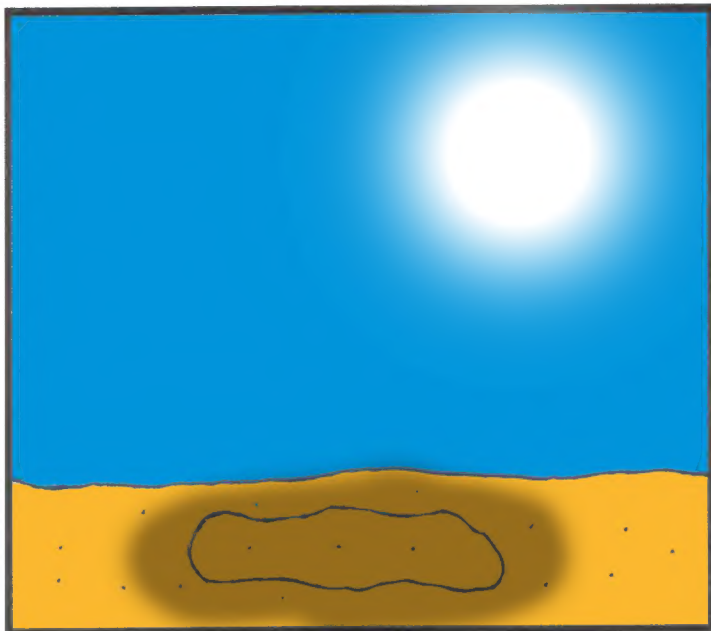
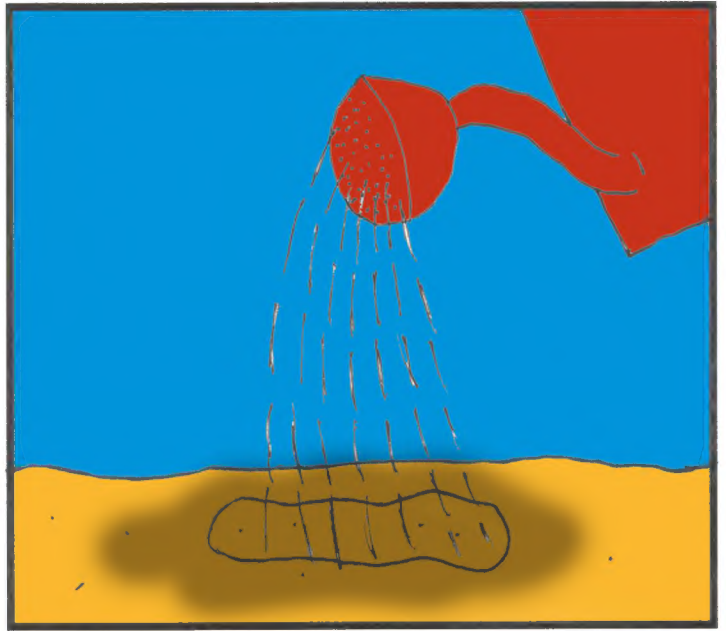
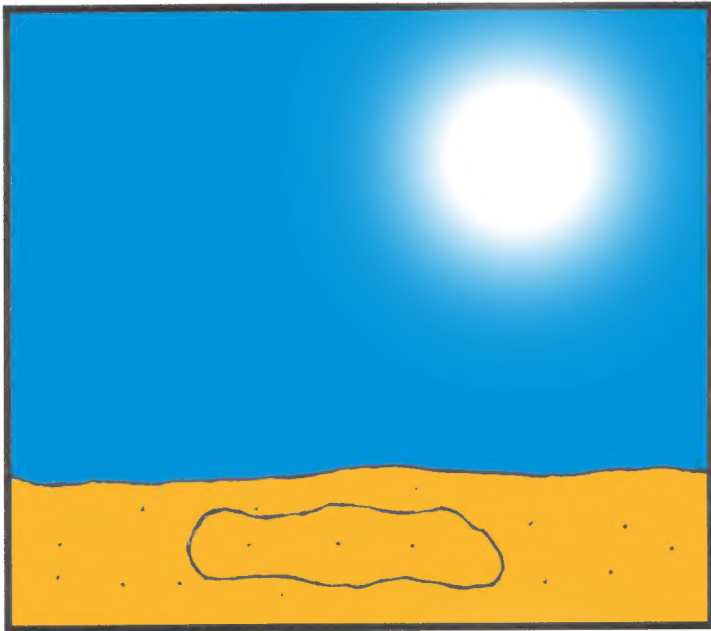
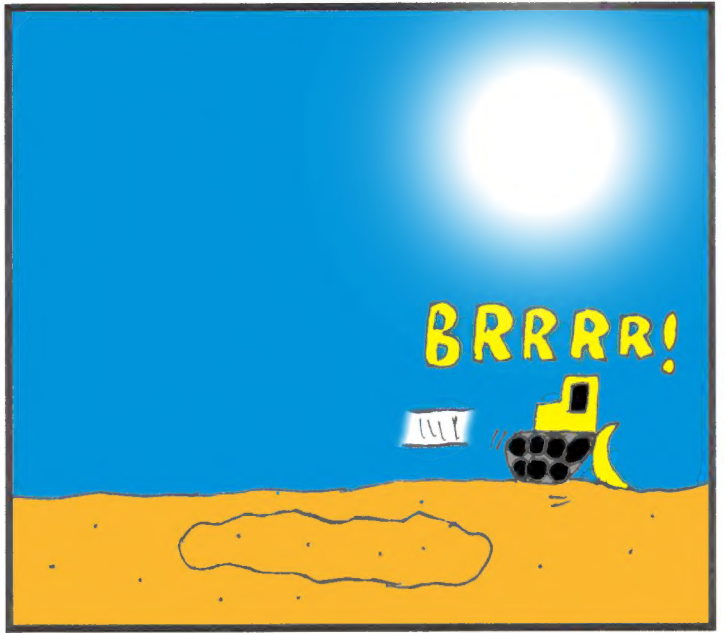
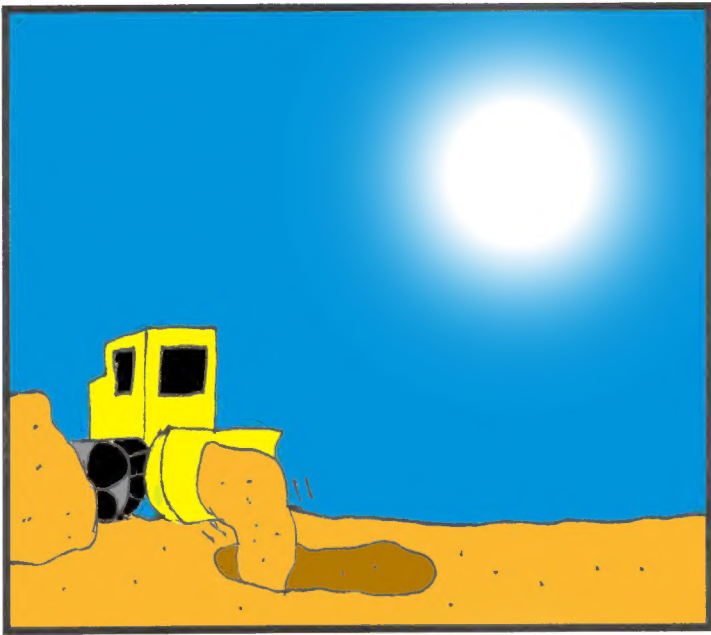


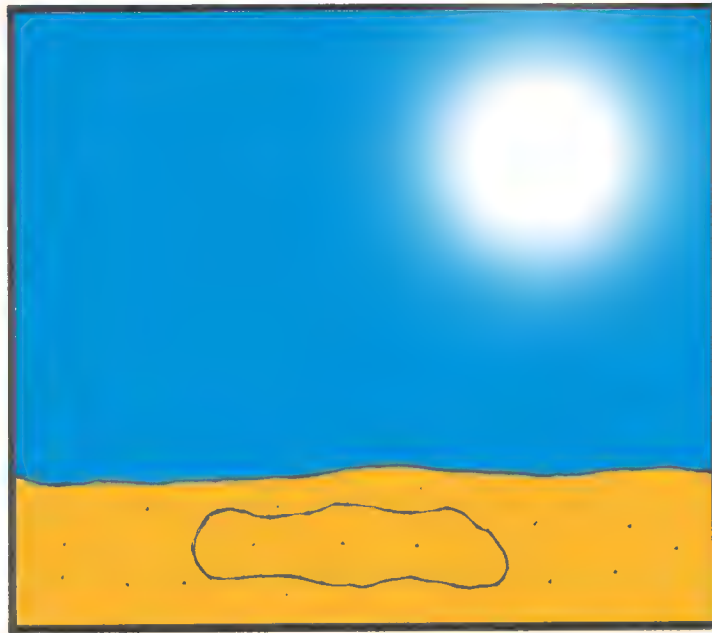
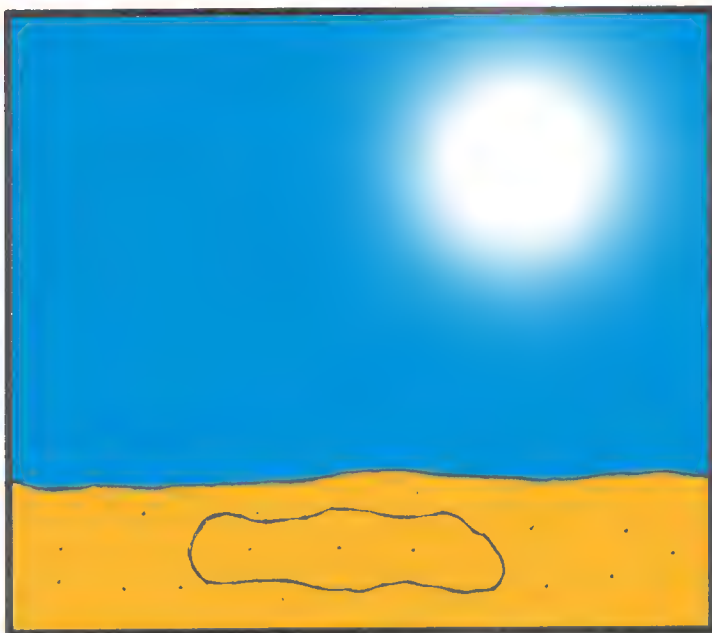
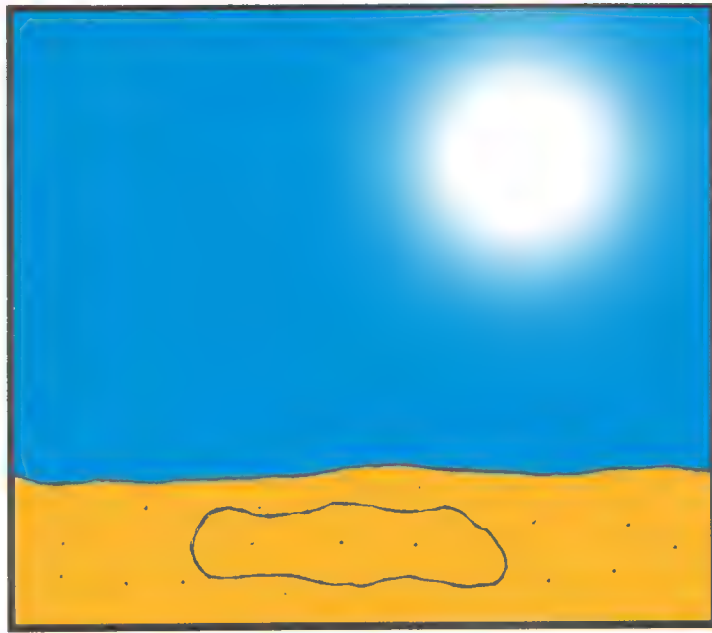
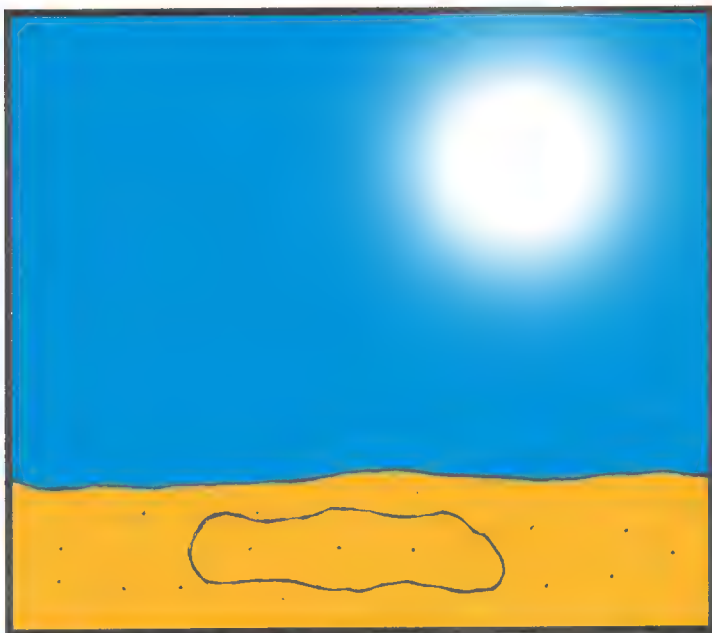
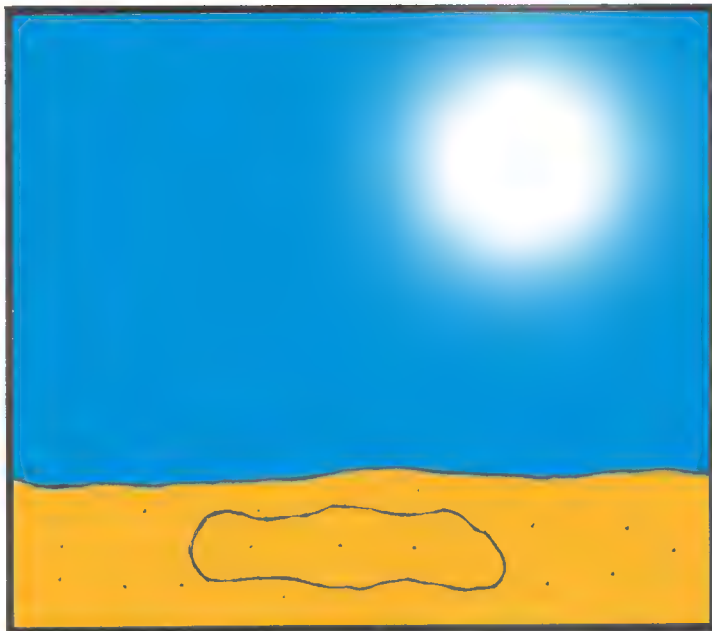
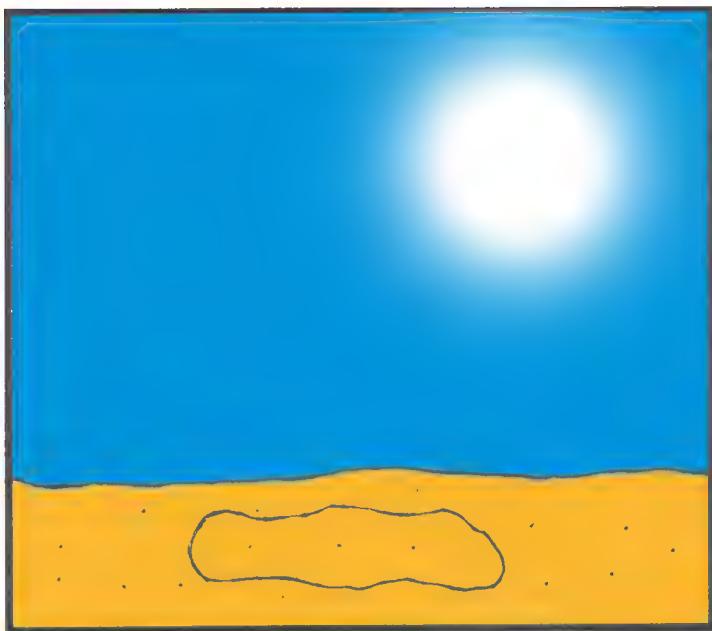


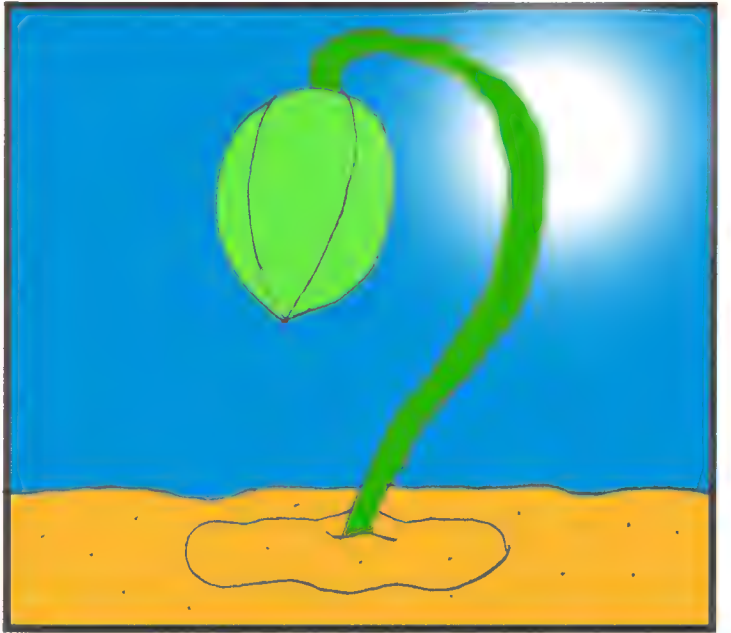
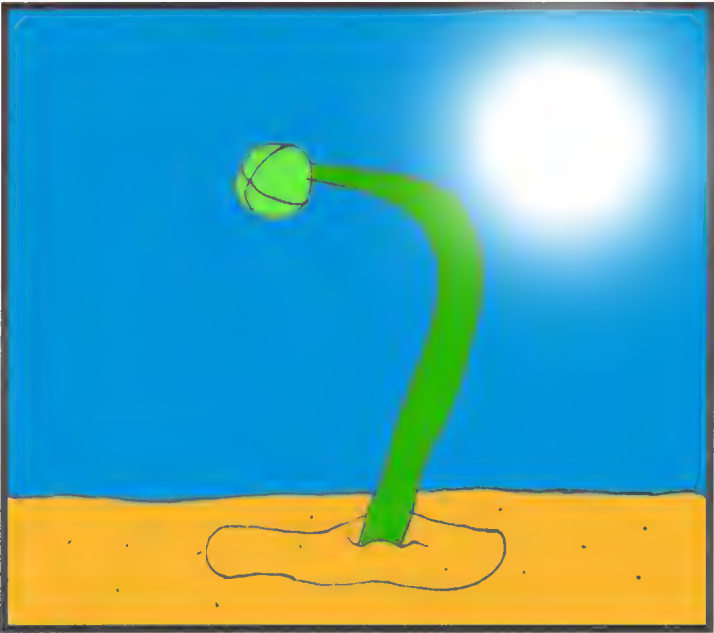
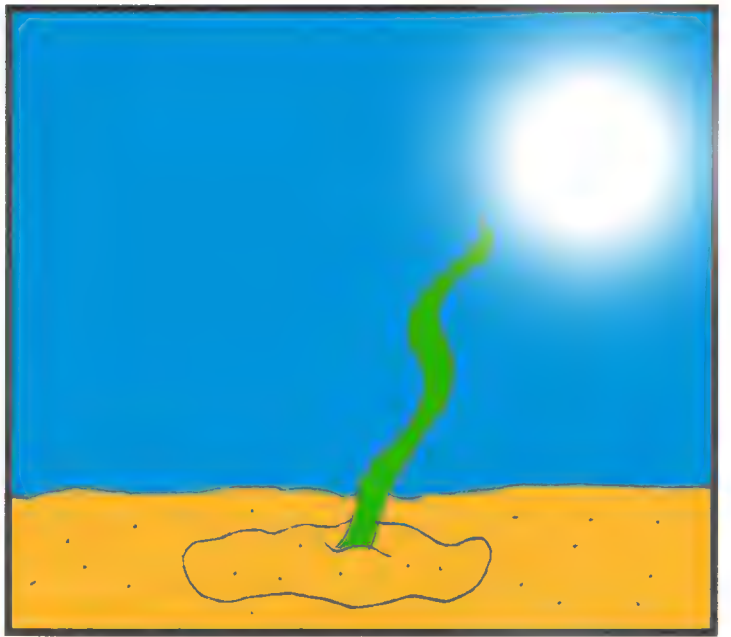
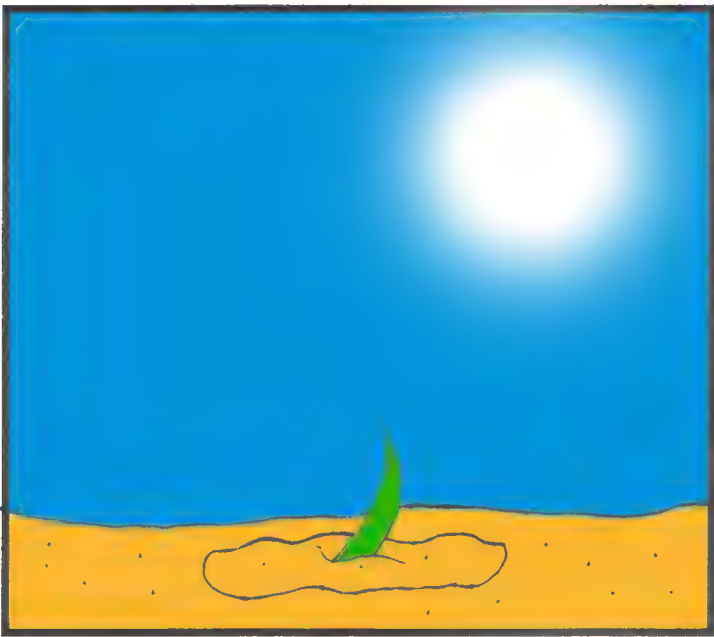
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“THE END”









Imagine a wonderful video store!
It would have a great selection, right?

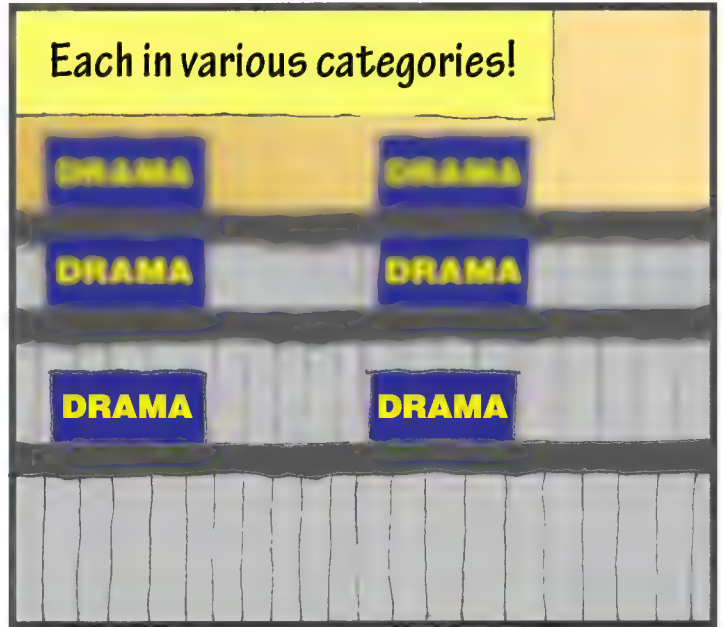


Well, yeah, obviously, it would. I mean,
it really wouldn't be called "wonderful" otherwise.

Well, right...in-in fact,
w-we have over 69,000 choices!



Each in various categories!



Perfect for the whole family!

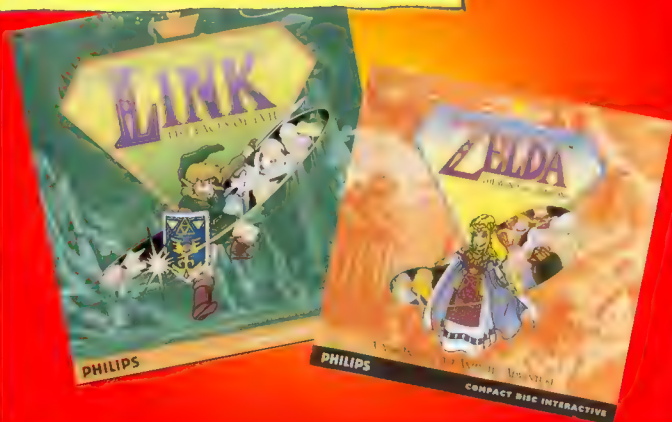


Three-week rentals!



Ideal for higher late fees!

Plenty of the newest
high-quality video games!



Quik-Returnz! 24/7 service!

Welcome to
*Americus
Video!*



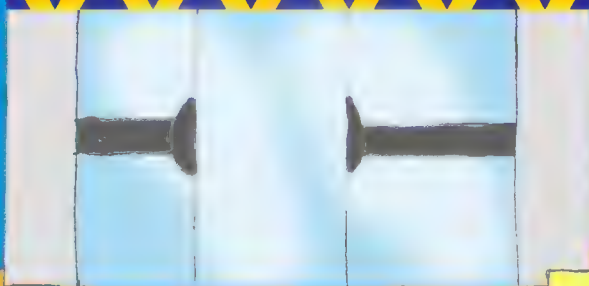
Please,
Jesus, kill me...

All these services and more!
A few feet from your home!



Make your next movie night from...
Americus Video!

AMERICUS VIDEO



And that's as maybe...

**And now,
the step-by-step
process of
making a
peanut
butter and
jelly sandwich.**





















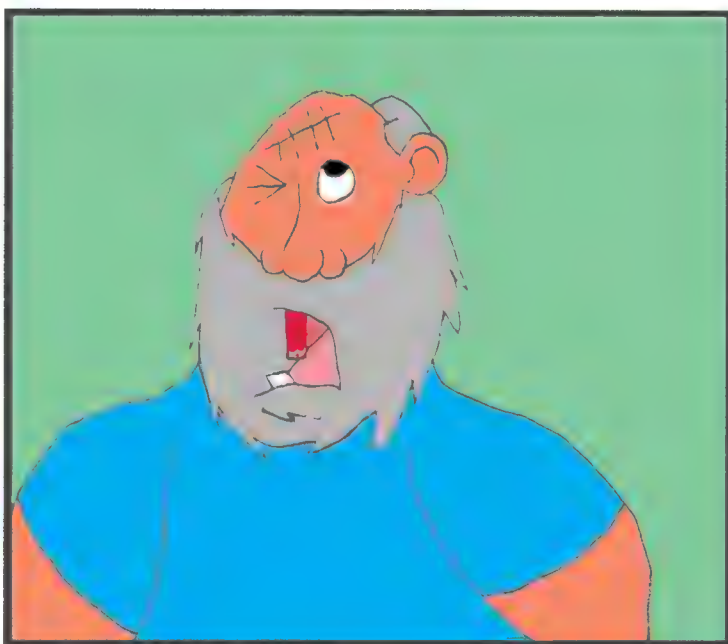
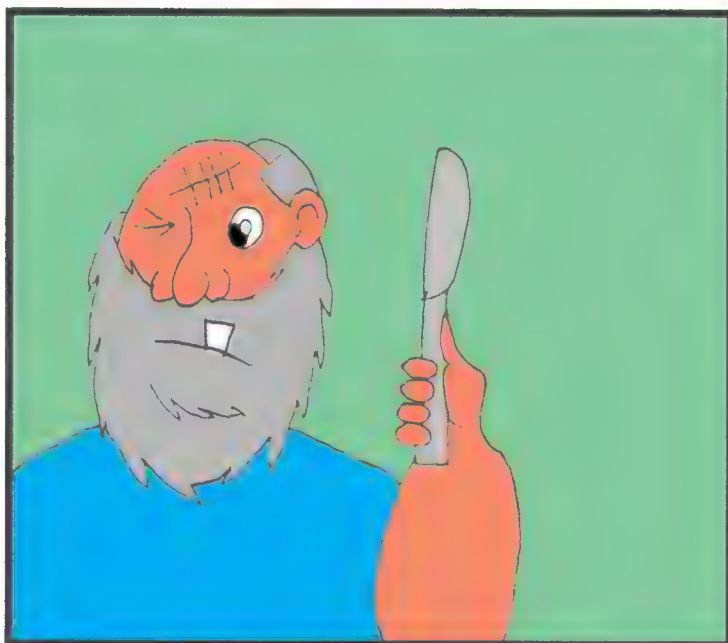




First, open the jar.



Now take the butterknife
and spread the peanut butter.



6 1/2
Hours
Later

Now do the same
with the jelly.



SO LONG THAT THE
CREATOR OF THE
STRIP DECIDED JUST
TO MOVE ON AND
GET THIS DAMN
THING PUBLISHED
ONLINE ALREADY...

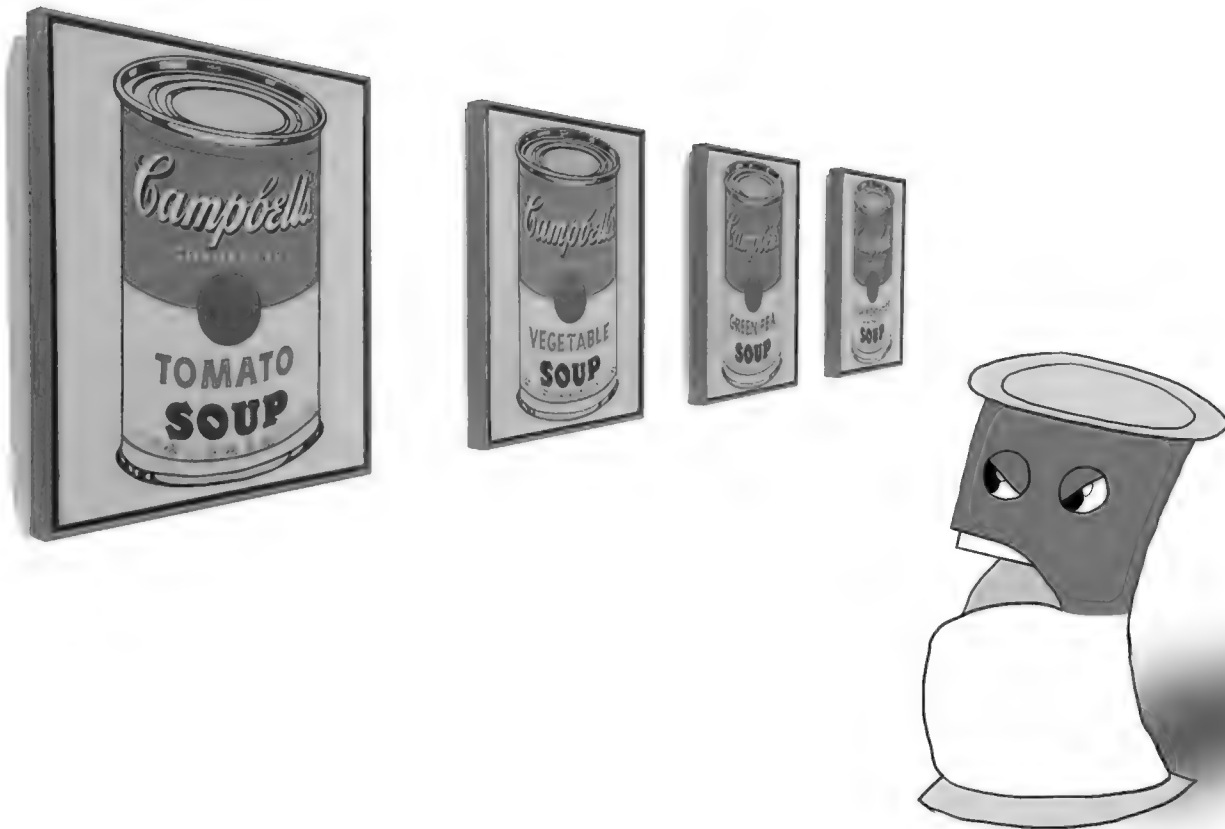
Now put the slices together!





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***“I am a soup can!
I am not a museum attraction!
It is not who I am and it is not okay!”***

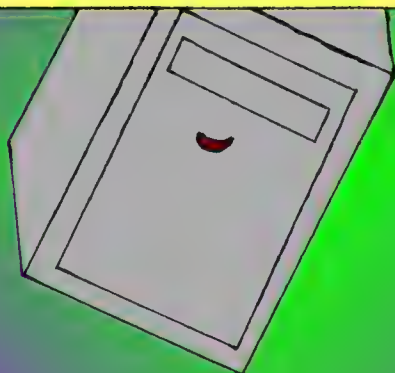
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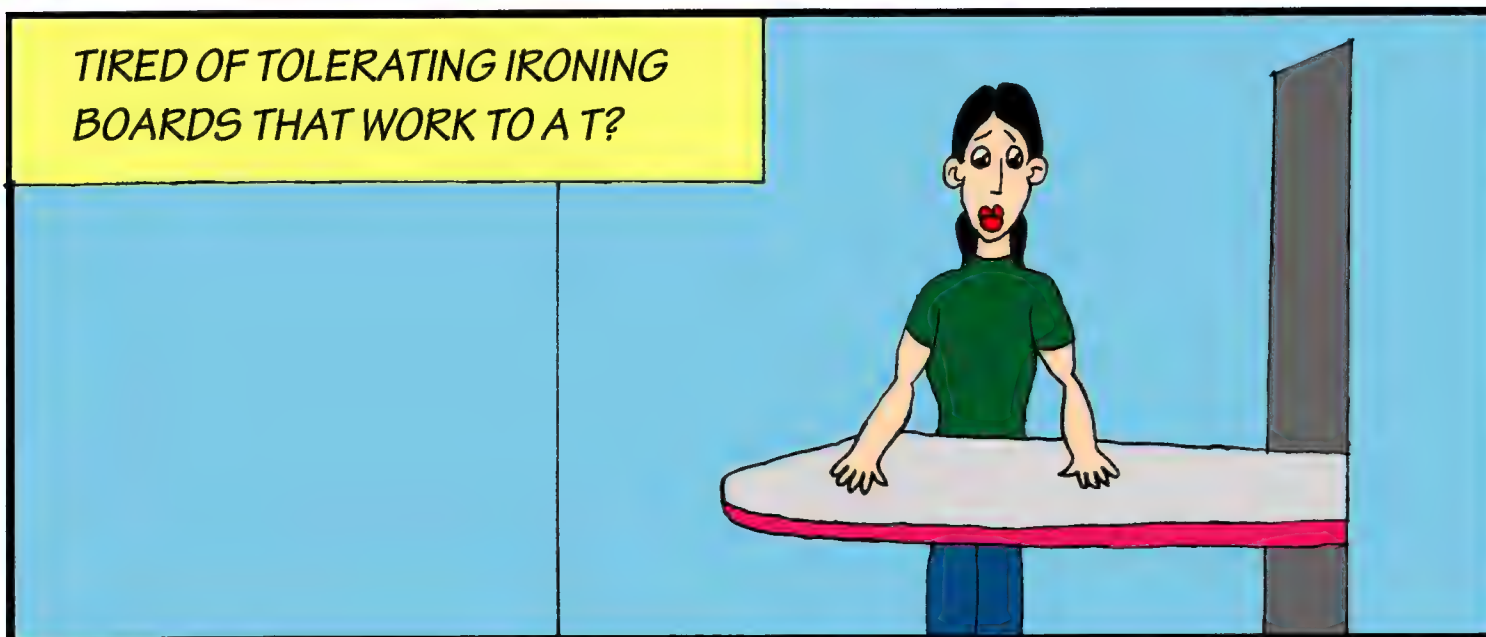
FED UP WITH GARDENING TOOLS
THAT FUNCTION FITLY?



WHAT IF YOU COULD PUT THE POWER
OF A DISHWASHER IN A DISHWASHER?



TIRED OF TOLERATING IRONING
BOARDS THAT WORK TO A T?



HI, WILLIE DAYS, HERE
FOR ARTWRECKS!

THE FASTEST, EASIEST,
AND SAFEST WAY TO RUIN
VIRTUALLY ANY JOB,
ANYWHERE!



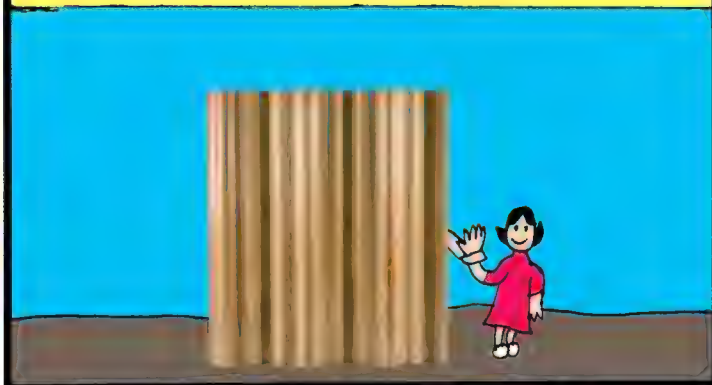
ARTWRECKS ARE NOT A
SUPER-POWERFUL EPOXY...

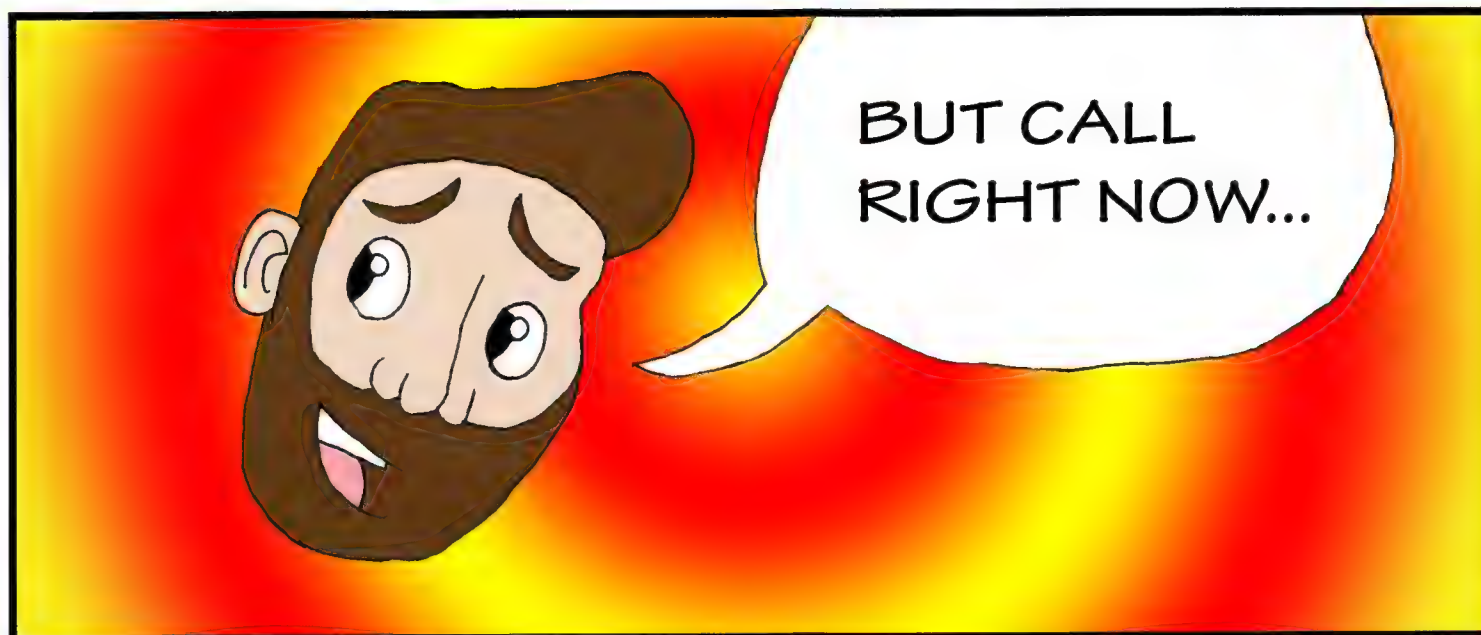
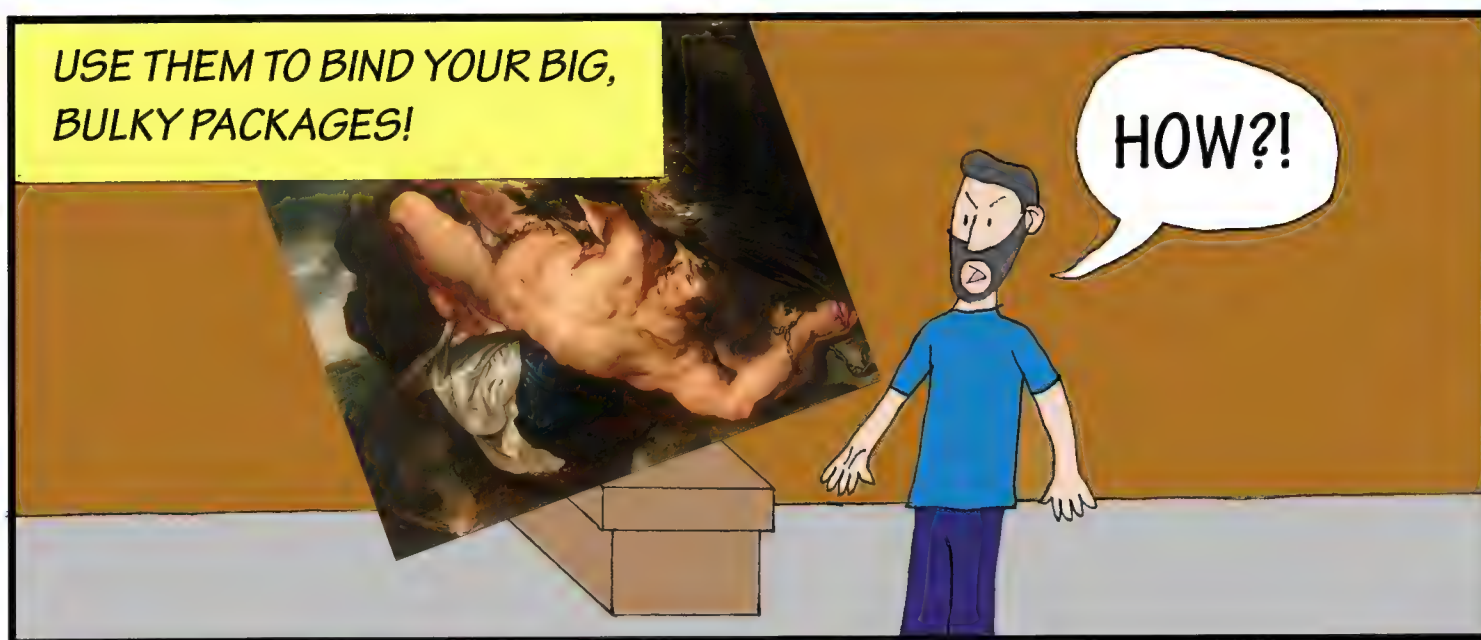
BUT A CHEESE-LOADED,
CALCIUM-STAINED BAZOOKA!



YOU CAN TRIPLE- OR
DOUBLE- OR
QUADRUPLE STACK 'EM...

AND SEE WHO'S SCORING
WITH BEAUTIFUL LADIES!





AND WE'LL TRIPLE THE OFFER!
JUST PAY SEPARATE SHIPPING AND HANDLING!



YOU'LL GET THREE TIMES THE ARTWRECKS!
A \$47 MILLION VALUE, ALL FOR NINETY-NINE
SLICED ONIONS!

HERE'S
HOW TO
ORDER!





***CLICK HERE
TO ORDER!***

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

MICHAEL Jacoby has always had this obsession to create things and tell stories. This obsession got stronger as he advanced through his education, gaining an A.A. in Liberal Arts from Burlington County College in May 2012 and later a B.A. in Graphic Design from Rutgers University, Camden in May 2015. While in the latter school, he learned about book binding and how to make posters and books. In October 2016, he created his portfolio website, DoorJam Creations, to show off his graphic design work for potential employers. The following January, he added webcomics to the site, including *Americus Video* and *The Sbuirrels*.

Find out more about Michael, his design work, and his webcomics on his website, www.doorjamcreations.com!

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these titles coming soon:

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VOLUME 1

the
squirrels

VOLUME 1

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